

## FACT SHEET

SUBJECT: Funeral Detail Support

1. Purpose: To provide guidance on funeral support for Fort Campbell Casualty Area Command (CAC).

2. Facts.

a. Casualty Area Command for Fort Campbell is the State of Tennessee and 51 counties of Kentucky.

b. ACofS, G3 provides the Casualty Assistance Office an updated Master Schedule for White Cycle (Guard and Ceremony) from which details are selected.

c. In accordance with CAM Reg 600-6, dated 3 Jan 00, and guidance from PERSCOM dated 6 May 98, the minimum support requirements for funeral support are:

(1) Active duty funeral support shall be an OIC, a NCOIC, a chaplain (if requested), a bugler, and a seven-member firing squad/pallbearers.

(2) Retired military funeral support shall be an OIC, a NCOIC, a chaplain (if requested), a bugler (or a stereo sound system with CD of taps), and a seven-member firing squad/pallbearers.

(3) Funeral support for honorably discharged veterans shall be a two person detail; an officer or noncommissioned officer to present the flag to the next of kin, and a soldier to assist with folding the flag. Additionally, a bugler (or a stereo sound system with CD of taps) will be provided.

(4) Active duty soldiers or Medal of Honor recipients buried outside the CAC will, on request of the deceased's family, have a unit of assignment representative attend the service. The service representative must be a CPT/SFC or above and must be of the same rank or higher than the deceased. The Casualty Assistance Office will pay expenses incurred by the representative.

(5) Any exception to the policy will be forwarded through the ACofS, G1 to the Chief of Staff for decision.

3. Point of contact is the Casualty Assistance Office, 798-4727/4729.

KENT R. SHAW, LTC, GS, ACofS, G1